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TO: Interested Parties

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SUBJECT: Emergency Rule: Maine Uniform Accounting and Auditing Practices for Community Agencies (MAAP)

This letter gives notice of an emergency rule: A complete repeal and replace of MAAP regulations is necessary. P.L. 2011, ch. 304, Sec. I-1 requires the Department of Health and Human Services to do emergency rulemaking, as follows:

Sec. I-1. Department of Health and Human Services to amend rules. The Department of Health and Human Services shall by emergency rulemaking rescind its adoption of Rule 10-144, Chapter 30: Maine Uniform Accounting and Auditing Practices for Community Agencies that took effect January 1, 2011 and reinstate Rule 10-144, Chapter 30 as in effect on December 31, 2010.

The emergency rules and related rulemaking documents may be reviewed at and printed from the DHHS Division of Audit website at <http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/audit/>, interested parties may request a paper copy of rules by calling 207-287-2403. For those who are deaf or hard of hearing and have a TTY machine, the TTY number is 1-800-606-0215.

A concise summary of the emergency rules is provided in the Notice of Agency Rulemaking adoption. This notice also provides information regarding the rule-making process. The proposed rules may be accessed on the internet at <http://www.maine.gov/sos/cec/rules/notices.html>. Please address all comments to the agency contact person identified in the Notice of Agency Rule-making adoption.